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TO VOTE IN STATES HITS BUCKET SHOPS WOULD AID CLERKS

Be Held Tomorrow.

Contest for Governorship Has Been Intent of Congress Is Declared to Be Also Will Ask Congress to Enact Hard Fought by Both Parties.

Interest as Bearing on National Issues.

Elections will be held in many states

New Jersey elects a legislature. The lower house and some county officers, including judges, will be elected in

New York. In Ohio mayors of cities and other municipal officers will be chosen. Nebraska elects university regents and judges. Many other states elect county

vote for local officials, except in San Francisco, where they were unable to register in time for election after the passage of the equal suffrage amendment.

Lively Contest in Maryland.

Local interest, of course, centers largely around the election in Maryland, where the regular democratic and republican organizations are in a mighty struggle for the governorship and other state offices.

If the democrats should carry Maryland it is thought that Baltimore will redouble her efforts to secure the next democratic national convention. In Virginia a one-sided contest har been proceeding between the democrats and republicans for the election of the legis-

lature and county offices, the victory of the democrats being virtually assured. The legislature will re-elect Senators Martin and Swanson to the United States

Interest in Massachusetts.

The greatest national interest centers in the election in Massachusetts for the any bucket-shop; that the word 'congovernorship and other minor offices. The tract' as defined in the first section, republicans are making vigorous efforts means any agreement, trade or transto recapture the state from the democrats by the election of Candidate Frothing- criminately the making of contracts, ham, and the defeat of Gov. Foss. The tariff and the national administration that the phraseology of the section are issues in Massachusetts, and the re- which penalizes 'contracts' permits publicans are full of hope on the eve them no constitutional operation;

In New Jersey the election is for members of the legislature and is a contest between the regulars and the profressives that clause of 869a which defines of both parties. Gov. Woodrow Wilson has a vast stake in the outcome-the indorsement of his administration and made, consequently it is no offense to the selection of a legislature which will be the keeper of such place. carry out his policies of progressive legis-

In event of a republican victory, or the election of a legislature more conservative than he is, it is thought by republicans that his presidential aspirations may be seriously affected, as the first move of his enemies would be to seek control of the party machinery, with the object Jersey delegation in the democratic con-

New Jersey Democrats Split.

The fight in New Jersey is far more he governorship, the legislature and repesentatives in Congress were up for elecoverconfident and the democrats were united. Now the republicans, chastened by their defeat, are working like beavers, while the democratic factions are at

lowers of former Senator James Smith, and State Chairman Nugent, and who loyally supported Gov. Wilson last year, are now angered at him for repudiating Mr. Smith's senatorial ambition and are intent upon doing all the harm poss!ble to Gov. Wilson.

An interesing side fight in the New Jersey campaign is the contest to fill the acancy in the first congressional district caused by the death of Representative Loudenslager. The republican candidates there is William J. Browning, former chief clerk of the national House of Representatives, who is being backed by the regular republicans. Gov. Wilson went into the district to oppose him, and last week Vice President Sherman went

New York and Pennsylvania.

Across the river, in Pennsylvania, an interesting municipal fight is being waged in Philadelphia, where Senator Penrose, the republican leader of the state and city, is waging a three-cornered fight for mayor. The issues there are

In the state of New York and in Manhattan and Brooklyn there are interestvious legislative intent and is reached throughout the Illinois corn belt, althe choir, lacking the voice of the first voice. ing campaigns for state and local ofbe chosen and the republuicans are moving heaven and earth to win back some of the seats in the lower house. The city campaign in Manhattan is

perennial struggle between Tammany It must be presumed that the framers of They will use the decayed corn for was too hard and that he had not the and a fusion of opposing forces. The reentry of William R. Hearst into politics of all contracts. Indeed, they have fur- in the fields is the largest in the hisadds interest to the campaign, and his nished us, in the very first words of the tory of Illinois. friends are watching the outcome as to act, with indubitable evidence upon this its possible bearing upon his return to point, for there they have declared its

In Kentucky a state campaign of unusual vigor is being waged between the thereafter to be fully defined or described, democrats and republicans for the gover- should include and embrace all 'agreenorship and other state offices. The issues are entirely local. Off-year elections for sections of the outset in effect declared that the word city officials attended. legislature will be held in a number of 'contract' as thereafter used should be

SOCIALIST IS HOPEFUL.

Lester Expects to Poll Big Vote in Mississippi

JACKSON, Miss., November 6.-The socialistic nominee for lieutenant governor or to 'agreements, trades or transactions' of Mississippi, J. T. Lester, grandson of former Gov. Poindexter, is somewhat optimistic of his chances in tomorrow's election, in view of marked antagonism in the democratic ranks against Theodore G. Bilbo, democratic nominee for the office. Opponents of Bilbo have sent broadcast circular letters urging demoerate to throw their support to Lester. Bilbo, as state senator, was twice exonerated of bribery charges, and early in (Continued on Second Page.)

Many "Off Year" Elections to Law Forbidding Them Upheld Secretary MacVeagh Favors by Court of Appeals.

Made Clear.

Outcome in Massachusetts of Deep Offenses Committed Here Are Held Will Tell Western Economic Society to Be Against the United States Government.

Holding the recent enactment of Contomorrow. Six states, Massachusetts, gress relating to bucketing and the con- report of Secretary MacVeagh to Con-Rhode Island, Maryland, Kentucky, New duct of bucket shops constitutional, the gress will be his arguments in favor of Mexico and Mississippi, will elect gov- Court of Appeals of the District of a pension retirement system for govern-Columbia today, in an opinion by Mr. ment clerks and his plea for the enact-State senators and members of the Justice Robb, reversed the decision of ment of currency laws along the proposed lower house will be elected in Virginia. Justice Wright of the District Supreme Aldrich plan. Court, and remanded the case of Louis others, charged with conspiring to conduct a bucket shop in the District, to the lower court for trial.

> The Appellate Court sustains the claim of the Department of Justice that the lower court was in error when it held was so broad as to make the legislation to prohibit "all agreements, trades and

Has No Sovereignty.

ough, the republican candidate, and Ar- bia, a violation could be an offense too, the clerk would have to serve many thur P. Gorman, the democratic candidate for governor, has been a close and exciting one, the details of which have been from time to time related in The Star's dispatches from its staff and regular correspondents.

bia, a violation could be an onense too, the clerk would have to serve many years and reach old age before he would be entitled to aid. Under a contributory be sued, but has no sovereign power, and be sued, but has no sovereign power, and crimes committed in the District are crimes committed in the District are against the United States and not the

Justice Robb also holds that the indictment as drawn sufficiently informs the one plan, and this division of view defendants of the charge against them. shop act, Justice Robb says: "The learned trial justice ruled that

while the heading of the act 'undoubtedly indicates a purpose which Con-gress declares itself about to execute,' fect; that only two classes of per- the coming session of Congress. He sons are penalized, those who make will advocate the Aldrich plan, with any contracts defined in the first section and those who are the keepers of mainly on the hope that after all these ond section purports to penalize indisthe act is void. The court further held hibited by a valid legislative enactment, there can be no operation for bucket-shop' as any 'place where any

Meets All Requirements.

"Penal statutes, like all others, are the embodyment of legislative will in concrete form, and constitute a rule of conduct for the guidance and control of the individual. If the form employed be inof preventing his getting the solid New telligible to the ordinary individual, the prime requisite of the statute is met; in other words, if the ordinary individual, after reading the statute, knows exactly what he may and may not do, its meaning cannot be said to be ambiguous. If such a statute be within the scope of egislative authority, it is the plain duty of the court to sustain and enforce it.' Wright, the Appellate Court, says:

"In holding that the word 'contract,' as thus used in section 869b, embraces all called especially to take action on this Lee and Mills is the usual form of agreeagreements, trades or transactions, the question will be held at 4 o'clock. learned trial justice has necessarily entirely disregarded the declared purpose repeal had been carried by twenty-six rell, unless reversed by a higher tribunal, and object of the act. It was not only votes. Corrections offered by the town will maintain the effectiveness of all such necessary to do this in thus enlarging the clerks, if accepted, will defeat the repeal operation of section 869b. but it was also by about 750 votes. necessary entirely to disregard almost all the provisions of the preceding sec-In our view, such an interpretation of the act is violative of well settled principles of statutory construction. In the first place, we are not at liberty to disregard the declared purpose of a criminal statute, nor are we at liberty to disregard any part of its connected structure. On the contrary, we must have in mind the legislative intent, the evils sought to be overcome, and, if possible, give force and effect to every part general words are employed, their meaning should be restricted to the obvious

scope of the statute Makes Harmonious Whole.

"Considering the act before us as connected structure, it is apparent that the words 'any contract defined in the preceding section,' as used in its second section, refer not to all contracts, but to the particular kind of contracts thereto- Farmers' Losses on Account of Rain fore described, namely, bucketing and bucket-shopping contracts. Any other construction necessarily frustrates the obwithout authority to prohibit the making It is said the amount of corn power and prominence in the national purpose, and its sole purpose. Evidently iteld. which the act was aimed, and which were

ments, trades or transactions relating to states and municipal and county elections synonymous with 'agreement, trade or transaction.' The definition of a bucketshop clearly indicates that a particular kind of contract only was in mind, for in this definition we find the words 'any confore. Congress used the words in the second section 'any contract defined in the preceding section, those words were intended to refer, and did in fact refer, to

Steamer Clyde Floated Off Rock. ST. JOHNS, N. F., November 6.-After

bucketing and bucket-shopping contracts.

relating thereto."

being ashore for more than a day and a half on a rock near the mouth of the harbor at Little bay, on the northeast coast of Newfoundland, the mail steamer Clyde was floated at daybreak today by the British cruiser Brilliant. The Clyde was apparently undamaged and will resume the coastal service immediately.

Pension Retirement Plan.

HOT FIGHT IN MARYLAND SAYS LOWER COURT ERRED TO BE FEATURE IN REPORT

Aldrich Currency Law.

SIX GOVERNORS TO BE CHOSEN DISTRICT IS NOT SOVEREIGN SPEAKS IN CHICAGO SATURDAY

About Urgent Need for

Legislation.

The two main features of the annual

Mr. MacVeagh said today that while and Angelo Cella, Samuel W. Adler and he found considerable opposition among democrats and republicans in Congress to a pension plan he felt satisfied that as the matter became better understood the chances were growing favorable for eventual legislation of some kind.

"The clerks ought to be provided for," that the word "contract" in the statute work and devotion to duty should have violative of the Constitution in attempting now exists. I have always favored a contributory system of pensions, and I do so wholly with the best interests of The case grew out of the wholesale raid on bucket shops in seven cities of the Union, April 2, 1910.

"The contributory plan suggests it-The higher court also disapproves the self to me for several reasons. It is contention of counsel for the accused men, that as the legislation in question is ters to anything like another pension The race between Phillips Lee Goldsbor- applicable only to the District of Colum- system. By a regular pension system,

"The greatest trouble now seem's to After reviewing the whole bucket and opinion is injurious to the cause of proper treatment of the clerks." Secretary MacVeagh is to speak Saturday night before the Western Economic Society in Chicago on the that purpose was not carried into ef- urgent need of currency legislation at

> years of consideration action may be "The question is no longer political," he said today. "Business men and bankers of all sorts of political view are urging action, and they are practically unanimous for this plan. The southern bankers, who held out for many years Court Rules Mgr. Lee Failed to Dismissal of Divorce Suit Milk Shipments Stopped Owagainst anything like a central bank proposition, have fallen into line for the proposed legislation, and they join with all of us in hoping that the question may

be kept out of politics altogether. "Congress has threshed this subject over for years and has done little. It appointed a commission to study long and carefully and report. That commission soon will make its report, and it seems to me there should be no reason why action cannot be had in this matter."

MAINE TO KNOW AT LAST.

Result of September Election Expected to Be Announced Tonight.

AUGUSTA, Me., November 6.-That the thew's Church, and Lawrence J. Mills, result of the special election September first tenor, in the suit of Mgr. Lee 11 on the repeal of constitutional pro- against Mills for \$100 damages for midnight tonight and that it will show a majority of several hundred against re- portant, in so far as it affected the re-Referring to the finding by Justice peal, was the opinion generally expressed lations of choir singers under contract about the statehouse today. A meeting of the governor and council As the contract entered into by Mgr.

The official returns showed that

MacFARLAND IS ARRAIGNED. Enters Plea of Not Guilty to Wife-

Murder Charge.

NEWARK, N. J., November 6.-Allison MacFarland was arraigned today before The state will seek to show that Mac-Farland sought to get rid of his wife further required to attend rehearsals that he might marry Miss Florence Brom- twice weekly at times to be set by the

CORN USED AS FUEL.

in Part Made Up.

MATTOON, Ill., November 6.-Farmers any church services. The claim for damsection from its context. Regarding that of the large amount of grain that has Lee and his choir director in trying, with section, as above suggested, as one har- rotted in the fields, due to excessive out success, to replace the absent singer. monious whole, and giving to the words rains, have determined to recoup part ing that the contract was void because of therein employed the intent and meaning of their loss by not patronizing the lack of mutuality and that Mills had duly Comedian Summoned in Case Alleg-The city campaign in Manhattan is clearly in the mind of the legslature, we for minor local municipal offices, the reach a reasonable and consistent result.

> Buried With Masonic Honors. ST. LOUIS, Mo., November 6.-The fun- the suit. eral of Norman J. Colman, first United States Secretary of Agriculture, was held plaintiff and Michael J. Colbert appeared here today. At the grave the Masonic the same subject matter Congress at the burial rites were used. Many state and

Boston Hotels Bar Bibles. BOSTON, November 6.-Managers of

three large Boston hotels have refused tract prohibited by this act.' When, there- to allow the Gideons, an organization of traveling men, which seeks to donate a Bible to every hotel room in the country, to place Bibles in their hos-Seven thousand Bibles have contribution of \$5,000 to the campaign telries. distributed, however, to other

Twenty-Two Lost With Vessel. LONDON, November 6.-The Greek

steamer Lord Byron, from Theodosia for Antwerp, foundered in the English channel during the gale last night. Twenty-two of the crew of twenty-five seated in an automobile, which he had were lost The three saved were picked up by the Dutch steamer Grotius.

GETS NOMINAL DAMAGES | COURT HALTS HEARING IN SUIT AGAINST TENOR ON COTTERILL PETITION

A MISSOURI CHALLENGE.

Moved on Novel Ground by Counsel for Wife.

Show How Much Church

Lost Financially.

the contract entered into between Mgr.

Thomas S. Lee as rector of St. Mat-

Terms of the Contract.

The contract introduced in evidence was

Mgr. Lee, as first party to the agree

Mills did not attend any rehearsals, it

was testified by Mgr. Lee and his choir

since September 1 has refused to sing at

time to attend so many rehearsals.

for the defendent.

ces to the state.

Lee, had not shown to what extent the

church had been damaged financially.

Charles J. Murphy was counsel for the

GOVERNORSHIP, \$16,635.

Massachusetts Executive Files Sched-

ule of Campaign Expenditures.

BOSTON, November 6.-The campaign

expenses of Gov. Foss will total \$16,635.

according to a statement issued from the

executive offices. The amount includes a

committee, \$350 for traveling expenses

and \$11,285 for printing and mailing a

pamphlet telling of the governor's serv-

Buys Auto; Dies of Excitement.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., November 6 .-

Charles W. McBride, a prominent busi-

ness man, died suddenly last night while

just purchased. It is thought that the

for the first time affected his heart.

excitement incident to handling the car

breach of contract.

choir director.

The secret hearing of the divorce ap-Allowing only nominal damages of \$10, plication of Charles A. Cotterill against nasmuch as, in the opinion of the court, the plaintiff had failed to show the actual extent of damages sustained, Judge Terrell, handing down his decision room of Justice Daniel Thew Wright, result of the discovery of typhoid fever light-hearted manner, besides thoroughly today, in the Municipal Court, sustained when Attorney W. E. Ambrose, counsel on the farms. the suit on the ground that there is no of typhoid fever cases under treatment held in every particular the validity of parties in the District of Columbia, behad been decreed against Mr. Cotterill in this District in June, 1903.

Prohibition of the Code.

in the District of Columbia of the "guilty" party in a proceeding for absoment between choir singers and church Cotterill occurred in Rockville, Md., one been receiving milk from the same dealville was visited for the purpose of evad- resulted in the discovery that the child ing the local statute. The case was argued Friday before Judge Terrell in part 6 of the Municipal Justice Wright dismissed the witnesses Court. The court took the case under advisement until today because of its imassembled to testify today in the divorce case and notified counsel he would hear argument on the motion to dismiss at the capital. Since then the patient has date to be agreed on later.

Question Not Raised Before.

signed July 10, 1911. Mills agreed to give Chief Justice Gummers and pleaded not five years to the choir of St. Matthew's remarried has never been raised, it is of potassium. Justice Gummers set nually between June 1 and September are legally married in Maryland, and next January 8 as the date for the trial. 20 of each year. The church services at there is no question of the legitimacy of the state will seek to show that Macset forth in the contract, and he was man and wife, he says, if the court agrees to his contention. Mr. Cotterill, he suggested, might have to acquire a domicile in Maryland before he could prosecute a ment, reserved the right to terminate the suit for divorce or for the custody of his

Some lawyers spoken to concerning the efficacy of the prohibition of the statute hold that the decree of divorce must contain the words of prohibition and that in their absence the inhibition of the statute would not apply. Others hold that the taches to every decree of absolute di-

NAT GOODWIN A WITNESS.

ing Fraudulent Use of Mails. The court decided that while there was

his performance tonight.

indicted in New York, accused of pro- they knocked on the door, after finding said that Goodwin was one of the victims, although he refused to discuss the matter.

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and the alert reader of THE STAR are open and working 365 days in the year, and the importance of the message does not have to correspond with the size of the wire. Try a "want ad" and prove it for yourself. Telephone Main 2440.

SEVEN DAIRY FARMS PUT UNDER THE BAN

ing to Increased Typhoid in the District.

Seven dairy farms in Maryland and his wife, Henry Garland Cotterill, came trict health department to discontinue to a sudden end today in the private shipments of milk into the capital as the

Alarmed by an increase in the number legal marriage subsisting between the in the District, the health department, cause an absolute divorce for infidelity of them being from the contagious disease service, to make a thorough investigation of the dairy farms which furnish typhoid fever was discovered.

> suffering with the disease. The department immediately notified the dairyman to discontinue shipping milk to recovered and the department has lifted its ban on this farm.

Several days ago the department notes phoid fever cases on the coute of one milk dealer. This was responsible for the decision to order an exhaustive inand Virginia that ship milk into the Dis- give up his own money to prevent trouble empress to compensate those who sufthat inspections will be ordered wherever announced. Yesterday, according to the report

cases of typhoid fever in the District. the the amount. At this time last year, it is said, there were but 161 cases. SHOT FOR BURGLARS.

prohibition, being a part of the code, at- Revenue Cutter Firemen Claim They Only Wanted to Buy Tobacco.

Barnard, twenty-five years old, a native of Holland, and Patrick J. Burke, twentysix years of age, of 109 Sterling street. Cleveland, Ohio, firemen on the revenue cutter Windom, were shot at Arundel LITTLE ROCK, Ark., November 6. Cove, on the Patapsco river, last night no doubt that the defendant, Mills, had Nat Goodwin, the comedian, served here by Thomas Travers, son of a storekeeper. the United States court for the southern Burke is reported to be in a critical conbroken his contract, yet the plaintiff, Mgr. with a subpoena to appear as a witness in Barnard died later of his wounds, and church had been damaged financially.
Therefore the plaintiff was allowed only nominal damages of \$10 and the cost of government against B. F. Sheftels and he thought the men were trying to break up without water in it, indicating that others for fradulent use of the mails, will into the store to rob it. It was late at the couple took poison and then jumped leave for New York immediately after night, he said, and they tried to batter overboard. in the door. The firemen declared that they went to

The case in which Goodwin is to appear the store only for the purpose of buying is that against Sheftels and Rice, recently tobacco and cigarettes, and that when moting fradulent mining schemes. It is the place closed for the night, they were

Must Make Apology or Suffer Loss

PERSIA OFFENDS RUSSIA.

of Two Provinces. TEHERAN, Persia, November 6. - The Russian minister today presented an ul-

ister of foreign affairs apologize for the cue endangered regiments there. alleged insult to the Russian vice consul-M. Petroff, on the occasion of the seizure of the property of Shua-Es-Sultaneh, remove the treasury gendarmes and reinstate the Persian cossacks formerly there Persia, Fordering on the Caspian sea. comply with the Russian demand.

COURT AT BEDSIDE PEKING IS TAKEN BY THE REBELS. Mrs. Vermilya Arraigned on Poisoning Charge.

HEARING IS POSTPONED

Coroner Believes Poison Will Be Found in Body of Richard Smith.

PRISONER VISITED BY FATHER

Woman-Lawyer for Defense Engaged.

CHICAGO, November 6. - Mrs. Louise Vermilya, charged with the murder of Policeman Arthur Bissonnette, was formally placed under arrest today. Afterward she remained quiet in her bed during a preliminary hearing held in her The case was postponed to No vember 28, and she was ordered committed to the county jail hospital.

The hearing was held in Mrs. Vermilya's home owing to her filness. Municipal Judge Walker and the court attaches crowded into the little bedroom. She manifested little interest in the proceed-

That poison will be found in the viscera of Richard T. Smith, who died at the home of Mrs. Vermilya, is the belief of Coroner Hoffman, who returned last night from North Hender-son, where Shith's body had been ex-

"I don't want to be unfair," he said "but I will be greatly surprised if the chemical tests do not reveal arsenic. The color of the liver is the same as Bissonette's. In fact, the conditions are almost identical.' To Exhume Another Body.

said he would exhume the body of Frank day. her first husband. Mrs. Vermilya has in her father, John Wolf, seventy years old, her stanchest defender. He, in company with three daughters and a son, visited the bedside crowds are gathering in the heart of the of the accused woman yesterday. "Louise could not have done such

thing," he sobbed as he was assisted

from the room by his other children. The family gathering was cheerful under the circumstances. "Hello, sis, how are you feeling?" was

with flying colors." Sisters Cheer Her.

vords of cheer, and all asserted their guarding the cable huts. elief in her innocence of the charges It is believed that Admiral Sah is in Mr. Wolf has engaged Attorney Joseph Burres to look after the interests of his

shall have every protection that the law

will give her. Mr. Burres visited Mrs.

Vermilya yesterday with Mr. Wolf and fense would merely be the matter of de- The population is about 150,000. fending an innocent woman. Capt. Harding, after admitting that he had made no progress as far as questioning Mrs. Vermilya was concerned, said she had spent a pleasant day. "She was as cheerful as could be," said the official, "and talked of the case in a

enjoying her meals." NO SUNDAY BEER.

last week, sent out eight inspectors, two Deliveries to Residences and Hotels

Prohibited in Indianapolis. INDIANAPOLIS, November 6 .- Indianmilk to Washington consumers. Al- apolis citizens are today awake to the though the inspection has not been finish- fact that Mayor Shanks and the police perial troops at Lanchau, who sent the ed, it was announced today that the ban are determined that there will be no army league to the capital with the reof the code which forbids the marriage has been placed on seven farms where Sunday delivery of beer to private citi- cent demand upon the throne, as imperial zens and hotels. Prohibition of the As early as October 7, the health de- practice was rigidly enforced yesterpartment discovered eleven typhoid fever day, and the "lid" was clamped down week after the granting of the divorce in the District. He suggested that Rockof one of the helpers on the farm was suffering with the disease drivers who attempted to make de-

PEACEMAKER KILLED.

an increase of from five to thirteen ty- An Offer to Restore Amity Followed by Assassination. CHICAGO, November 6.-Willingness to

of the connected structure. And where with the murder of his wife with cyanide to be allowed one month's vacation and torney Ambrose Mr. and Mrs. Cotterill trict. It is announced that a close watch among others was the cause of Alexander tered trom the recent imperialist expensed words are employed their on the situation will be maintained and Digiacoma, a tailor, losing his life last cesses. there is cause for suspicion. Most of the farms closed are small ones, but there is avenue restaurant where he heard three one which has a herd of sixty cows, it is men quarreling with the proprietor. Thinking they were without money to the health department, there were 175 pay their bills, Digiacoma offered to set-

His proffer was promptly resented by the trio, who left the restaurant immediately. They waited until the tailor came from the place, when one of the men shot him five times, killing him instantly. The three escaped.

SUICIDE PACT SUSPECTED.

Long Island Sound.

RYE, N. Y., November 6.-The bodies of The rebels at Sianfu asserted that all the a man and woman who went out fishing officials, from treasurer to taotai, had together from Rye yesterday were found been killed, as well as the Manchus-men, in Long Island sound last night. The women and children. coroner believes that the couple entered

STEAMER SINKS IN STORM. Other Vessels in Trouble in Baltic and North Seas.

BERLIN, November 6 .- A severe storm is sweeping over the Baltic and North sea coasts today. An unknown steamer sank off Cuxhaven. The fate of the crew might lead to local disturbances. is not known. Lifeboats rescued the crews of several other distressed vessels. Dikes at many points have been broken. and the country in the vicinity is floodtimatum to the Persian government, set-ting forth that unless the Persian min-the coast with boats and soldiers to res-

Speaker Cox Dies Suddenly. PITTSBURGH, November 6. - John F Cox, speaker of the Pennsylvania house Russia would occupy the provinces of Cox, speaker of the Pennsylvania house Ghilan and Mazanderan, in the north of of representatives, and one of the best Persia, Fordering on the Caspian sea. known members of the Allegheny county The Lovernment has decided not to bar, died suddenly at his home is Home stead, a suburb, today.

REPORT STATES

ONE CENT.

Cablegram to San Francisco Says City Fell After a Sharp Encounter.

Sisters and Brother Also Call on THREE CHINESE GUNBOATS JOIN REVOLUTIONISTS

Chingkiang and Hangchow Are Seized After Brief Resistance.

GERMAN CRUISER TO SHANGHAI

Gen. Chang Appointed Imperial Envoy to Conciliate People of Yantze Provinces-Orders to Yuan Shi Kai.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 6.-A cablegram to the Chinese Daily Paper, a lewspaper published here, received early today says Peking was captured late yesterday by the revolutionists after a harp encounter.

A dispatch also was received by the Chi-

nese Free Press, announcing the fall of Peking had been reported in Shanghai, but had not been verified. The dispatch stated all the officials of the city, including a number of high officials of the Manchu dynasty, had fled in the night. So convinced is Coroner Hoffman that The rebels are said to be in peaceful pos-Smith's liver will show arsenic that he session after a spirited fight late yester-Chinatown is celebrating the reported

revolutionary victory with parades and fireworks. The streets are flooded with extra editions of Chinese newspapers, and Chinese mercantile districts, waving the red flag of the republic and shouting and singing.

Gunboats Desert.

SHANGHAI, November 6.-Three Chinese gunboats, forming a part of Adwith the remark "Never mind all the miral Sah Chen Ping's fleet, which put talk, Louise, you will come out of this in here yesterday for provisions, went over to the rebels this morning.

The Chinese telegraph operators went on strike today. The cables have not Mrs. Vermilya's sisters also offered been molested. Foreign marines are

Chingkiang Is Taken. Chingkiang, in the province of Kiangsu,

niding in this city.

fell at 3 o'clock this afternoon. All is quiet there. The city is a treaty port later made the statement that the de-Hangchow, capital of the province of Chekiang, was taken by the rebels yes-

terday after a brief but spirited resist-

Recapture Tungkwan. KAIFENG, China, November 6.-The imperialists have recaptured Tungkwan, near the eastern border of Shensi province. The rebels lost heavily and retreated toward Sianfu.

Chang Imperial Envoy.

PEKING, November 6. - An imperial edict issued today appoints Gen. Chang Shao-Tsen, the commander of the imenvoy to proceed to the Yangtse provinces and conciliate the people. He is to name delegates to assist him, and, if successful, to memorialize the throne for rewards. The appointment is considered to be a palpable effort to separate Chang from his troops, and the Chinese believe

that he will not accept the mission. in response to a memorial from the judiciary, the throne pardons three men who were imprisoned for having attempted to blow up the palace and the toreign office. The decree says that Yuan-Shl-Kai

is remaining at Kilometer 90, whence

ne has dispatched Wong Kai-Wen, the

newly appointed taotal of Tientsin, to

Hankow, conveying a portion of the

1,000,000 tacks donated by the dowager

Ordered to Peking. The throne again commands Yuan-Shi-Kai to come to Peking. The wording of the edict leaves it an open question whether the rewards mentioned are intended for the successful dele-

gates to the Yangze provinces. Reports from Changsha say six cities in Hunan province have revolted, and it is expected that the whole province will declare for the republic. Word has reached here that the rebels have taken Kiatingfu, in Szechuen province, and have issued passports to the missionaries. BALTIMORE, Md., November 6.—Peter Bodies of Man and Woman Found in Sianfu, in Shensi province, reports that district in the wildest disorder. Former soldiers were looting everywhere, and there was no trace of government troops.

Chaos at Peking.

In the meantime affairs here are in a state of chaos. No tangible head of the urgently needs funds, and hopes that the Franco-Belgian loan will be forthcoming, to enable the military operations and the administration to be carried on. The international group refuses to supply war funds. The government is urging the groun to advance money in order to allay the threatened financial and public deadlock in Peking, as it is feared that

Fire Devastates Hankow.

the non-circulation of money will

HANKOW, November 6 .- Fire during the last few days has devastated an area two miles long and half a mile wide. It is evident that the imperialists are determined to destroy the city. They have burned a large store of shells and small arm ammunition abandoned by the rebels. The total damage by fire amounts to many mil-The Rev. Mr. Huntington of the Ameri-

can church mission, entered a strong pro-test against the execution of Manchu women and children at Ichang, declar-

No. 18,667.